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For: SO<sub>x</sub> TRAP FOR DIESEL AND LEAN-BURN GASOLINE  
AUTOMOTIVE APPLICATION

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111  
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

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Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed January 16, 2007, thereby extending the time period within which to respond to May 16, 2007.

In response to the Office Action mailed January 16, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows: